

PATENT APPLICATION

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE



In re the Application of

Donald J. CURRY et al.

Group Art Unit: 2625

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Examiner: N. TYLER

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For: APPARATUS AND METHODS FOR DE-SCREENING SCANNED DOCUMENTS

**LARGE ENTITY PETITION FOR 1<sup>st</sup> - 3<sup>rd</sup> EXTENSION  
OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) AND  
TRANSMITTAL OF FEE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.17**

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a response to the outstanding Official Action in the above-identified patent application. The shortened statutory period having expired October 31, 2007, an extension of time for a period of one month is hereby requested. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 24-0037 in the amount of \$120 in payment for:

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